AGENDA

CHARLESTOWN CONSERVATION COMMISSION REGULAR OPEN MEETING

January 26, 2010, 7:00 p.m.

CHARLESTOWN TOWN HALL, ANNEX CONFERENCE ROOM 4540 SOUTH COUNTY TRAIL, CHARLESTOWN, RI 02813

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- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL
- III. INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS / PUBLIC COMMENT
- IV. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
- V. OLD BUSINESS

Reports from Commissioners

- Resolution Of The Town Of Charlestown Town Council In Support of Voluntary Non-Use of Harmful Pesticides, Herbicides and Fertilizers On Lawns And Gardens was passed by the Town Council on December 7th. Kudos to Kerin, Grace, Pete and Beth
 - A. Discussion on ideas to make the community aware of the Resolution and its content.
 - 1. Editorial which appeared in The Westerly Sun on Sunday, January 10, 2010, "Going Green in Charlestown"- re: The Resolution.
 - 2. Pipeline
 - 3. Salt Pond Coalition
 - 4. Educational Programs
 - 5. Additional ideas
- The Town Council approved the Conservation Commission's request that the \$1,000 from the current Commission Budget which was allocated for the Richard Trails Parking Lot at the October 27, 2009, Commission meeting, be carried over to the Commission's Fiscal Year 2010/2011 Budget to be used for the parking lot. LA
 - The Nature Conservancy approved the new location for the Richards Trail Parking Lot---300 feet south of the previously approved parking lot.
- 3. Conservation Commissioners whose appointments expire in January of 2010 will be re-appointed by the Town Council at their February meeting. Reappointments—Grace Klinger and Virginia Wootten. Jodi must be notified of availability by January 29, 2010.
- 4. Election of Officers
- 5. South Farm
 - A. Black Chain Link Fence for Card Cemetery- KB
 - B. Stonework in Card Cemetery. Gravestone Repair- HH
 - C. Signage-LA
 - D. Kiosk-HH
 - E. Fauna Study
 - F. South Farm Self-Guided Brochures
- VI. NEW BUSINESS
 - 1. World Ocean's Day, June 8th. Discussion—
- VII. MEMBERS COMMENTS / ANNOUNCEMENTS
- VIII. ADJOURNMENT

The next regular meeting will be held on February 23, 2010

Forty-eight hour notice is required for persons requiring auxiliary aids.

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